

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 573

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Taylor Wilson, 2009
Salutatorian of Henry County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Taylor Wilson is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2009 graduating class at Henry County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Wilson has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in such worthy extracurricular activities as the National Honor Society, the Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA), and the Math Club, which she served as Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, a leader among her peers, Ms. Wilson was nominated to the 2009 Basketball Homecoming Court and voted "Most Talented" by her freshman class; she was also selected as Student of the Month for October 2008; and

WHEREAS, one of the top ten students in her class each year of high school, Taylor Wilson has proven especially adept at mathematics; she placed third in the HOSA Regional Medical Math Competition; and

WHEREAS, in her spare time, Taylor enjoys reading, traveling, shopping, baking, watching sports, animals, and dancing, for which she has demonstrated considerable enthusiasm as a student at Trina's School of Dance for fifteen years; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson is a highly valued member of her faith community at Springville Church of Christ; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Lisa Wilson and Bruce Wilson; her grandparents, Joe and Zinalda Sousa and Charles and Estelene Wilson; her school; and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Henry County High School Salutatorian, Taylor Wilson, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.